

FEW WOMEN VOTE AT VILLAGE AND CITY PRIMARIES

Only Contests in the County in Naming Candidates Are in East Moline.

SOCIALISTS LOSE CHANCE

Not a Member of Party Votes in Second Ward, Though There Was a Name On the Ticket.

Few women voted yesterday at the primaries in the cities and villages of the county in which municipal officers will be chosen May 21. No contest worthy of the name was staged anywhere except in East Moline and interest was small and the vote light. Following are the aldermanic nominees in East Moline:

First Ward—Oscar Lundeen, citizen; C. C. Phillipsen, socialist.

Second Ward—John F. Ryan, citizen.

Third Ward—J. K. Williams, citizen; August Rogers, people's; Ben Eider, socialist.

The polls were open all day. Two precinct members of the city council were nominated for reelection, Oscar Lundeen of the First ward and J. K. Williams of the Third ward, both on the citizens' ticket. Lundeen had no opposition in the First ward, while Williams defeated C. A. Cornell by five votes in the Third ward.

John F. Ryan was nominated in the Second ward to fill the vacancy made by the removal from office of Grant Fair during the last year. Mr. Ryan won over his opponent, Fred Stewart, by an overwhelming majority.

The socialists had a candidate in each of the three wards, but in the Second, R. N. Reese failed to secure a single vote, and hence will not get his name on the ballot.

Two Tickets at Milan.

There were two tickets in the field at Milan. Nine women voted at the primary. The people's party candidates are:

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Clerk—A. E. Taylor.

Trustees—William W. Walker, William Kale, Thomas A. Willbitt.

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SECOND HANDMAN PLACED ON TRIAL IN CIRCUIT COURT

Jury Selected to Hear Case Against Sam Fryer for Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENDER IS STAR WITNESS

Claims That He Burglarized Moline Hardware Stores and Sold Booty to Defendant.

Buffalo Prairie—Hans Schafe, Will Kelley.

Moline—Louis Larson, C. A. Lage, O. Mullins, Paul L. Edstrand, F. A. Sasse, Alf Oberg.

Rock Island—F. W. Freistat, Jr., K. T. Anderson.

South Rock Island—Will Hofer, Will Teademan.

Above is the jury which was finally selected in circuit court yesterday afternoon to try Sam Fryer, local second hand dealer, who is charged with receiving stolen goods. Difficulty was encountered in securing the panel and the case is being bitterly fought at every step. S. R. Kenworthy, B. F. Schriver and Andrew Olson represent the defendant, and State's Attorney F. E. Thompson is prosecuting.

State's Attorney Thompson, in his opening statement to the jury, was frequently interrupted by counsel for defense on the ground that the county prosecutor was "arguing" to the jury. Mr. Thompson stated that he expected to prove that on the night of Nov. 5, 1913, the Reid company and the store of Hugh H. Parks, both Moline hardware concerns, were burglarized of cutlery and knives by Silas Bender and Dominic Gillespie. Goods taken from the former amounting to \$25.10 and from the latter \$177, and that after the theft the boys went to Gillespie's home and hid the booty in the barn until early morning, when a trip was made to the defendant's store.

Fryer Buys Goods?

Mr. Thompson alleges that the boys took the goods to Fryer's barn, where Fryer offered to buy them fully, and that when this offer was made, Gillespie indignantly replied, "I'd rather throw the stuff in the river than accept that amount," and that it was finally agreed that the sum of \$5.50 would be given in cash, and \$1.50 on credit, to pay for a flashlight which the boys had purchased, and for carfare to Moline. Mr. Thompson stated that he expected to show that Fryer had told the boys that he needed knives and that he would buy from them anything in that line they secured. He also cited a number of other burglaries to which Bender has confessed, in which Fryer is alleged to have acted as a "fence." Attorneys for Fryer strongly objected to these being related to the jury by the prosecutor in his opening statement. Judge Olmsted took the question under advisement last evening. This morning he admitted the statements.

Bender is to be the "star" witness for the prosecution. He has already pleaded guilty, but sentence has not been pronounced.

Last Criminal Case.

The Fryer case will be the last criminal matter taken up until the Bruner cases, set for April 6, is tried. It will be heard by Judge E. C. Graves. Judge Olmsted set a civil docket this morning for the rest of the month.

FAVORS DAM BY THE GOVERNMENT

Greater Davenport Committee Does Not Want Improvement of the Rapids.

Taking the position that the power development of the Rock Island rapids in the Mississippi proposed by the Great Northern Development company is more or less visionary and that the lateral dam which the war department is ready to start work on this spring is practically a reality the Greater Davenport committee at its meeting yesterday afternoon adopted resolutions favoring the latter project.

The government will expend \$1,250,000 on the lateral, giving a six-foot channel and greatly improving navigation. It is claimed by promoters of the power project that this money will be wasted if the larger undertaking is put through later.

PROBATE JUDGE BELL TO SPEAK AT CLUB

Probate Judge B. S. Bell is to be the speaker at the Thursday noon-day luncheon at the Rock Island club. He will discuss the widow's pension, and delinquent and dependent children, explaining the new legislation which has been covering these subjects.

WOODMEN OF WORLD WILL HAVE A GOOD BALL TEAM

At the regular meeting of camp No. 85, Woodmen of the World last night at Math's hall, several applications for membership were received and these with others will be taken into the order on the night of the big class adoption at Davenport, Thursday evening, April 30. On the next regular meeting night of camp No. 85, the protection degree of the order will be conferred in full, for the benefit of

some who cannot attend the Davenport class and an oyster supper will be served after the meeting by the ladies of grove 27, Woodmen Circle.

The next practice drill by the uniform rank team will be held Thursday evening, March 19, at Turner hall and matters pertaining to the baseball team will be discussed at this time. The team has been greatly strengthened since last season by the acquisition of several new players.

CONVENTION FOR THE BULL MOOSE

Township Committee Makes Partial Arrangements, But Leaven Dates Open.

G. O. P. NAMING DELEGATES

Majority of Those to Be Approved at Primaries Will Be Picked by End of Week.

The progressive township central committee at a meeting last evening in the office of James F. Witter, city attorney, decided to hold a mass convention to nominate a ticket at an unannounced date some time during next week.

"A full ticket will be put in the field," said William M. Walker, township chairman, today in speaking of the party's plans. J. C. Searle acted as secretary of last night's meeting.

Republicans Pick Delegates.

Meetings for the selection of delegates to be voted for at the republican township primaries March 19, are rapidly being held and W. E. Wenger, secretary of the republican township committee, says the majority of the delegates will be named by the close of this week. Delegates of the old Second, Seventh and part of the Fifth ward have been named.

Last night, at 1043 Third avenue, Second ward republicans held a meeting. Edward Young acted as chairman and Mayor H. M. Schriver, as secretary. Mr. Young was nominated for committeeman of the third precinct and C. V. Johnson of the fourth precinct. The following delegates to be voted for at the primary were named: H. M. Schriver, Edward Young, H. M. Hendren, Ezra Wilcher, Phil Wagner, Walter Oberg, Charles Strate, Dave Cleland, William Carse, C. V. Johnson, Abe Dawson, Jacob Lefstein, Walter Hynes, Elmer Blackley and A. Anderson.

Selected in Seventh.

Delegates in the Seventh ward have been selected as follows: A. G. Anderson, M. O. Griswold, D. Hohenboken, J. Russell, Oscar Oberg, A. McClelland, John Burk, James McBride, Bert Nelson, C. L. Ackeland, J. L. Brooks, Charles Danielson, J. E. Larkin, A. J. Hedberg, Frank Beranek, Charles Borst, Samuel Samuelson, George Eckert, Henry Empeke, Carl Nyquist, Charles Nelson.

In the Fifth ward, first precinct, the following have been selected: J. F. Murphy, C. L. Hubbard, T. H. Dooley, Charles A. Schenebricker, Charles Oswald, J. G. Miller, and C. N. Isaacson.

BLACK ART A BIG CARD AT FROLIC

Little of Last Year's Apparatus and None of the Old Stunts Will Be Used.

The "black art" show, to be given in the assembly room of the high school during the third annual "Frolic" Friday and Saturday of this week, promises to be one of the big feature attractions, and an even better drawing card than the magical stunts which were pulled in the frolic of last year, under the supervision of Head Magician E. L. Philbrook. This year, Will Whisler, who has made most of the arrangements for the frolic was asked to take charge of "The Palace of King Rajah," and he has been making extensive preparations for his entertainment.

Although his show is generally called "The black art exhibit," the same as last year, the stunts which are to be shown are entirely new ones. Part of the apparatus used last year will be called into use again this time.

The Geneseo high school basketball team will play a return game with the local quintet on Friday night, during the second period of the frolic program from 8:30 to 9:10. Some time ago the locals played the G. H. S. team at Geneseo, and defeated them by a score of 26 to 18, the seconds of the high school also trouncing the Henry county team by a decisive score.

Two picked teams of girls will play a basketball game in the first session, 7:30 to 8:10, and the Midgets will contend with the Giants from 9:30 to 10:10.

Programs Being Arranged.

Principal A. J. Burton, general manager of the frolic, has been at work the last two days preparing the program, and the chairmen of the various committees have also been at work making out the programs of the individual performances. It is probable that many of the shows will have a change of programs on Saturday evening.

Casey Back From Tour.

Thomas Casey of Rock Island, secretary of the barbers' state board of examiners, has returned from an inspection tour, including Sterling, Dixon, Rock Falls, Morrison, Nelson and several northern towns of the state. Mr. Casey expresses himself as pleased with conditions except those at Dixon and Rock Falls.

Barbers in Dixon and Rock Falls were conducting shops under 1913 license cards.

\$1,000 to Churches & Charity

Only three more days left of the voting and if you have any votes that are not yet turned in do so at once. There will be no more voting after Saturday night March 14, 1914.

Standing Wednesday Morning, March 11, 1914:

1. Bethany Home.
2. German Ev. church, R. I.
3. Visiting Nurses Ass. R. I.
4. St. Joseph's church, R. I.
5. Memorial Christian church, R. I.
6. Visiting Nurses Assn. Dav.
7. Presbyterian church, Milan.
8. Sacred Heart church, R. I.
9. St. Anthony's hospital, R. I.
10. First Swed. Luth., R. I.
11. German Im. Luth., R. I.
12. Central Presb. church, R. I.
13. South Park church, R. I.
14. First M. E. church, Moline.
15. Swed. Luth. church, Moline.
16. Humane society.
17. United Presb. church, R. I.
18. Fifteenth Ave. church, R. I.
19. M. E. church, Milan.
20. Spencer Memorial church, R. I.
21. Methodist church, Reynolds.
22. First M. E. church, R. I.
23. Associated charities.
24. St. Mary's church, R. I.
25. Grace Luth. church, R. I.
26. Zion Swed. Luth. church, R. I.
27. First Baptist church, R. I.
28. Trin. Episcopal church, R. I.
29. First Cong. church, Moline.
30. Salvation army.
31. St. Mary's church, Moline.
32. McKinley chapel, R. I.
33. Beth Israel, R. I.
34. Edgewood Bapt. church, R. I.
35. Broadway Presb. church, R. I.
36. St. Cecilia's guild, R. I.
37. Daughters of Isabella.
38. Mercy hospital, Dav.
39. Pleasant Ridge church, Milan.
40. Swed. Bapt. church, R. I.
41. First Bap. church Cordova.
42. H. Q. B. society, Moline.
43. First Church of Christ, R. I.
44. Unitarian church, Moline.
45. Wyman A. M. E. mission, R. I.
46. McConnell chapel, Milan.

Grand March Sale of Furniture

We have as complete a line of furniture as any in the tri-city. We pride ourselves on carrying only the best lines, those that will be a lasting advertisement for us. We invite your inspection.

Store for All People

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HANDBILLS ARE A SCHOOL NUISANCE

Difficulty of Keeping Grounds and Streets Explained by Supt. Hayden.

AT MEETING OF THE BOARD

Matter Brought Up by Civic Department and Irving Petition Considered at Meeting.

Distribution of handbills to school children at the hour of dismissal of classes is one of the most serious handicaps to the efforts to keep school grounds and streets near buildings in order, it was explained by Superintendent H. B. Hayden to the Rock Island school board last evening in reporting upon the request of the ladies of the civic department of the Rock Island Woman's club that more attention be given to this matter. The question has been laid before the principals of the schools and all are ready to do all possible to bring about an improvement.

A committee composed of Mrs. W. H. Lamont, Mrs. James Lamont and Mrs. P. F. Trenkenschuh presented a petition to the board signed generally by parents of children attending the Irving school and asking that an addition be made to the school sufficient to accommodate the upper half of the seventh grade and all the eighth grade pupils now compelled to go elsewhere for instruction. It was also stated that the patrons wish to have an assembly room added.

The board received the petition and advised the ladies that a meeting would be held at the school Thursday evening of this week to discuss the question, members of the board being present.

Enrollment Total 4,383.

Mr. Hayden's statistical report for the month shows the following total enrollment and attendance figures:

School enrollment, 4,383.

Average number belonging, 3,764.

Average daily attendance, 3,553.

Percentage of attendance, 94.

Percentage of punctuality, 99.

During the month there were 1,965 pupils neither absent nor tardy.

Bills were allowed as follows:

R. I. Hardware Co., \$32.84

Peoples Power Co., 90.63

Tri City Auto Supply, 3.00

Ward & McMahon, 10.70

R. I. Sand & Gravel Co., 815.14

Ref. Express Co., 12.08

L. S. McCabe & Co., 8.27

W. B. Pettit, 8.20

Channon & Dufva, 42.68

M. T. Rudgren, 652.08

H. B. Hayden, 3.22

Penn Oil & Supply Co., 18.65

R. I. Lumber & Mfg. Co., 60.83

Tri-City Towel Supply Co., 20.12

E. J. Tefft, 7.50

Johnson Service Co., 10.29

Joseph Dixon Crucible Co., 10.29

Detroit Screw Works, 19.60

Houghton Mifflin Co., 6.40

Newson & Company, 24.24

American Book Co., 14.49

D. C. Heath & Co., 7.50

Henry Holt & Co., 3.60

American School of Correspondence, 6.40

Charles E. Merrill Co., 68.57

The Macmillan Co., 2.50

A. L. Bruner, 13.82

Allen Myers & Co., 3.08

S. S. Kemble, 46.80

Mayer Levi, 30.00

A. J. Burton, .70

Henry Darts Sons, 5.55

Electric Construction Co., .30

Hartz & Bahnsen Co., 20.91

A. W. Diedrich, 7.00

Schocker Paper Co., .25

Western Union Telegraph Co., 78.42

E. O. Valle, Jr., 12.55

W. J. Bliesemer, 2.50

Sam W. Bowby, 11.45

H. Tremann's Sons, 5.04

A. J. Burton, 5.15

Warnock & Ralston, 189.82

T. W. McClelland Co., 5.00

Remington Typewriter Co., 5.00

Style Bulletin

Suit No. 4526



Merely describing this suit is hardly sufficient. It is designed for the more dressy occasions. Short bolero jacket has a short position back, kimono sleeves trimmed with silk cord, the bottom of jacket being flared in front and plaited in back to match the skirt. A cord of soft material is brought on each side from the front to the middle of the back.

The charming skirt has a plaited graduated tunic harmonizing with the lines in the jacket. It is made of the season's best materials, which add their share of making this a very stunning garment. Those who have a Wooltex catalogue will find this on page 6, to sell at \$40 to \$55, according to the material used. You will find this and two similar garments in our stock made of the best of materials to sell at \$37.50.

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